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Carlyle, How to Know Him. By BLISS PERRY. Indianapolis: Bobbs-Merrill Company. Pp. 267. $1.25 net.

For one who has read Carlyle this book will be of great help in obtaining a more complete understanding of the man and his works. For one who has not as yet read him it will be an invaluable guide in reaching an intellectual appreciation of what Carlyle means to this country.

Browning, How to Know Him. By WILLIAM LYON PHELPS. Indianapolis: Bobbs-Merrill Company. Pp. 381. $1.25 net.

This should be a very welcome book for those who have tried without success to understand Browning. Professor Phelps has inspired thousands of young men with a love for the poetry of Browning and has furnished in this volume a regular guide book to the poet, having traveled to all the places Browning knew. All the author's poems are included as well as illuminating comments on them. With this as a guide no one need be unfamiliar with this modern poet. Other volumes of this series will be looked for with interest.

Anne of the Island. By L. M. MONTGOMERY. Boston: The Page Company. Pp. 326. $1.25 net.

Anne of the Island is a delightful sequel of *Anne of Green Gables* and *Anne of Avonlea,* and will be found as interesting as the other "Anne" books. In this we find the same Anne and share her pleasures and friendships through her four years of college at Redmond, and her vacations back at home at Green Gables with Marilla and the twins, one of them being as interesting as Anne herself; and at the last we have her romance.

The Theory of Relativity. By ROBERT D. CARMICHAEL. New York: John Wiley and Sons. Pp. 74. $1.00.

This is No. 12 of the series of *Mathematical Monographs* edited by Mansfield Merriman and Robert S. Woodward. The subject is one which has considerable interest though many physicists seem to pay little attention to it. For those who desire an introduction to the subject this book will prove very useful. Among others the following topics are considered: The postulates of relativity, the measurement of length and time, mass and energy, experimental verification of the theory.

How to Study and What to Study. By RICHARD L. SANDWICK. Boston: D. C. Heath & Co. Pp. 175. 60 cents.

Perhaps the most neglected phase of education and yet one of the most important is the formation of good mental habits. Teachers have not been taught how to study so they in turn do not teach others this art. It is of importance therefore that attention is drawn afresh to the subject by the appearance of this book which every teacher should read. His reasons why we should study mathematics may not be as complete as might be desired yet the book as a whole is very suggestive and will do a large amount of good.